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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

- against -

DOUGLAS ENGSTROM,

Defendant.

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THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:

INDICTMENT

Cr. No. **CR 24 012**
(T. 18, U.S.C., §§ 2422(b), 2428(a) and
3551 et seq.; T. 21, U.S.C., § 853(p))

CHOUDHURY, J.

DUNST, M.J.

ATTEMPTED INTERSTATE COERCION AND ENTICEMENT OF A MINOR

1. In or about December 2023, within the Eastern District of New York and elsewhere, the defendant DOUGLAS ENGSTROM, using one or more facilities and means of interstate and foreign commerce, to wit: a mobile telephone, the Internet and mobile Internet applications, did knowingly and intentionally attempt to persuade, induce, entice and coerce an individual who had not attained the age of 18 years, to wit: an individual whom ENGSTROM believed to be a 13 year-old girl, to engage in sexual activity for which a person can be charged with a criminal offense, to wit: rape in the second degree, in violation of New York Penal Law Section 130.30(1), and criminal sexual act in the second degree, in violation of New York Penal Law Section 130.45(1).

(Title 18, United States Code, Sections 2422(b) and 3551 et seq.)

CRIMINAL FORFEITURE ALLEGATION

2. The United States hereby gives notice to the defendant that, upon his conviction of the offense charged herein, the government will seek forfeiture in accordance with Title 18, United States Code, Section 2428(a), which requires the forfeiture of: (a) any property, real or personal, that was used or intended to be used to commit or to facilitate the commission of such offense; and (b) any property, real or personal, constituting, or derived from, proceeds obtained directly or indirectly as a result of such offense, including, but not limited to, a Google Pixel cellular telephone seized from the defendant on or about December 16, 2023 in Valley Stream, New York.

3. If any of the above-described forfeitable property, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant:

- (a) cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
- (b) has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third party;
- (c) has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the court;
- (d) has been substantially diminished in value; or
- (e) has been commingled with other property which cannot be divided without difficulty;

it is the intent of the United States, pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p), to seek forfeiture of any other property of the defendant up to the value of the forfeitable property described in this forfeiture allegation.

(Title 18, United States Code, Section 2428(a); Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p))

A TRUE BILL



FOREPERSON

By Carolyn Pokorny, Assistant U.S. Attorney

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UNITED STATES ATTORNEY
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Filed in open court this _____ *day,*

of _____ *A.D. 20* _____

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Bail, \$ _____

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